

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

NOV 16 2007

SCHWEGMAN ■ LUNDBERG ■ WOESSNER
PATENT, TRADEMARK & COPYRIGHT ATTORNEYS

P.O. Box 2938

Minneapolis, MN 55402

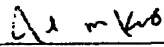
Telephone (612) 373-6900 Facsimile (612) 339-3061

November 16, 2007


TO: Commissioner for Patents

FROM: Janal M. KalisPatent Examining Corps
Facsimile Center
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450OUR REF: 2579.022US1FAX NUMBER (571) 273-8300Document(s) Transmitted: Revocation and Power of Attorney & Change of Correspondence Address (1 pg.)Total pages of this transmission, including cover letter: 2 pgs.

If you do NOT receive all of the pages described above, please telephone us at 612-373-6900 or fax us at 612-339-3061.

In re. Patent Application of: Markus Wimmer et al.Examiner: UnknownSerial No.: 10/591.833Group Art Unit: 1636Filed: July 16, 2007Docket No.: 2579.022US1Title: USE OF A MIXTURE FOR THE PRODUCTION OF AN AGENT FOR TREATING DEFECTIVE OR DEGENERATED CARTILAGE IN THE PRODUCTION OF NATURAL CARTILAGE REPLACEMENT IN VITROBy: 
Name: Janal M. Kalis
Reg. No.: 37,650

I hereby certify that this paper is being transmitted by facsimile to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on the date shown below.


Michele Quaranto11-16-2007
Date of Transmission

NOV 16 2007

S/N 10/591,833PATENTIN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Markus Wimmer et al.

Examiner: Unknown

Serial No.: 10/591,833

Group Art Unit: 1636

Filed: July 16, 2007

Docket: 2579.022US1

Customer No. 21186

Confirmation No.: 3319

Title: USE OF A MIXTURE FOR THE PRODUCTION OF AN AGENT FOR
TREATING DEFECTIVE OR DEGENERATED CARTILAGE IN THE
PRODUCTION OF NATURAL CARTILAGE REPLACEMENT IN VITROREVOCATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY
CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR § 3.73(b)
&
CHANGE OF CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESSCommissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. Section 1.36, M.P.E.P. Section 402.05 and 402.07, please revoke any existing Powers of Attorney, if any, and appoint the following attorneys and/or patent agents to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office in connection therewith:

Customer Number: 21186

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR § 3.73(b)

Synthes (U.S.A.) and Synthes GMBH hereby certify that they are the assignees of the entire right, title and interest in the patent application identified above by virtue of an assignment from the inventors to Synthes GMBH recorded 07/16/2007 on Reel 019560, Frames 0640 - 0645 and an assignment to Synthes (U.S.A.) recorded 07/16/2007 on Reel 019560, Frames 0749 - 0751. To the best of my knowledge and belief, title is in Synthes (U.S.A) and Synthes GMBH, the assignees.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) I hereby declare that I am empowered to sign this certificate on behalf of Synthes (U.S.A.) and Synthes GMBH, the assignees.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true.

Please direct all correspondence in this case to:

Schwegman, Lundberg & Woessner, P.A.
Customer No. 21186Date 13-Nov-07By David J. KlannName: David J. KlannTitle: Patent Counsel